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FOR: PACKET COMMUNICATION NETWORK AND PACKET COMMUNICATION METHOD

LETTER SUBMITTING REPLACEMENT DRAWING SHEET(S)

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SIR:

Responsive to the below indicated communication, the following drawing sheets are submitted herewith:

☒ 2 Replacement Drawing Sheets

☐ _____ New Drawing Sheets

☐ Official Action dated _____

☐ Notice of Allowance/Issue Fee dated _____

☒ Prior to a first examination on the merits

The changes and/or modifications made include the following:

Replacement Figures 8 and 13 are also submitted. Replacement Figure 8 now properly labels the Packet Recognizing Unit as element 31 and properly labels the Important Communication Processing Unit as element 34. Replacement Figure 13 now properly labels elements 2 as an Edge-Packet Transfer Unit.

Respectfully Submitted,

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